



Dear Parents/Guardians

We would like to say a big thank you to all of you who have already booked your child's place on the summer school. Please note that it is not too late to book and it can be done by clicking the following link.

The week will involve a series of fun activities tailored to the Barking Abbey BEST Habits of Bravery, Excellence, Self-Discipline and Teamwork. These will be a constant theme throughout the week and will be embedded within each task from sporting competitions to academic challenges where students will be awarded prizes and given achievement points, much like students in all years at Barking Abbey. This is a fantastic opportunity for your child to familiarise themselves with the school site, teachers and new classmates who will begin their Barking Abbey journey with in September. Each day will begin at 9am and will consist of an assembly led by your child's Head of Year followed by a variety of sporting opportunities and several subject specific sessions to prepare for life at Barking Abbey. There will also be a unique opportunity for your child to meet their future teachers who will too be present throughout the week to introduce themselves and their subject specialism to all incoming Year 7 students. Lunch will be provided to all students that attend and it is advised that sporting attire be worn throughout the week so that all students are comfortable when participation in PE based activities. We look forward to welcoming your child to the school and hope to make the first Barking Abbey Summer School one where your child will feel both comfortable and excited to start their journey in September.

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Dear students

This summer at Barking Abbey will be a summer like never before. In August Barking Abbey School will be hosting its very first summer school and it is all for you year 7. The summer school will be a jam packed week full of fun and exciting activities for you to take part in. Some of the activities included in the week are Painting, Sports competitions, Baking, Dance performances, Outdoor Adventure Activities and so much more. This is a great opportunity to spend time with your friends from primary school and meet new students from other schools that will be in your year group. All workshops will be run by your new teachers so this will be another great opportunity to get to know them before you start school in September. This is going to be an amazing week and we are so excited that so many people have signed up already. But do not worry it's not too late. Follow the link below and get involved. We can't wait to meet you all and watch you take part in a great week.

Message from

Mr Cope & Miss Agathangelou

Heads of year 7

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